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METHOD FOR TREATING PRODUCTS BY  
HIGH VOLTAGE PULSES

AMENDMENT

Commissioner for Patents  
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March 5, 2004

Sir:

In response to the Official Action mailed October 8, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

**Amendments to the Specification** begin on page 2 of this paper.

**Amendments to the Claims** are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 5 of this paper.

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this paper.

An **Appendix** is attached following the signature page of this paper.